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Determining Obscuration Of
Sensors That Are Mounted On
A Spacecraft*

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed October 22, 2002,
please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 18 of this paper.

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